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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.821(e), Applicants attest that the paper copy of the Sequence Listing filed in this application 09/843,676, is identical to the computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing filed in U.S. Application No. 08/854,050, filed May 9, 1997. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.821(e), please use the only Computer Readable form filed in the 08/854,050 application as the computer readable form in the instant application. It is understood that the Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary change in application number and filing date for the instant application. A paper copy of the Sequence Listing is included herewith.

<u>Please note</u>: A transfer request similar to this one was filed in another continuation application of U.S. Application No. 08/854,050, namely U.S. Application No. 09/430,323. Thus,

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it may be that the computer readable copy originally submitted in U.S. Application No. 08/854,050 is in fact currently in U.S. Application No. 09/430,323.

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• This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to the final rulemaking notice published at 55 FR 18230 (May 1, 1990), and 1114 OG 29 (May 15, 1990). If the effective filing date is on or after July 1, 1998, see the final rulemaking notice published at 63 FR 29620 (June 1, 1998) and 1211 OG 82 (June 23, 1998). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing", an initial paper or compact disc copy of the "Sequence Listing", as well as an amendment directing its entry into the application. Applicant must also provide a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821 (f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures, mailed May 16, 2001 Applicants hereby submit the paper copy of the Sequence Listing.

Please insert the enclosed pages 1 through 139, that contain the Sequence Listing, after the drawings in the specification.

A Request for Transfer of Computer Readable Form Under 37 C.F.R. 1.821(e) is enclosed herewith.

Applicants attest that the information contained in the Sequence Listing includes no new matter.

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